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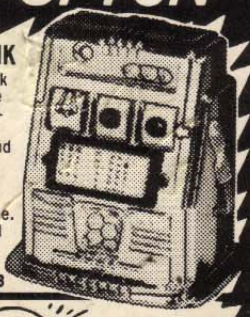

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STONE! EEEEK! TH-THE CITIZENS A-ARE TURNING TO... STONE!
N-NO! I-IT MUSTN'T HAPPEN!... BUT I'M THE ONLY MAN ON EARTH WH-WHO CAN PREVENT IT!

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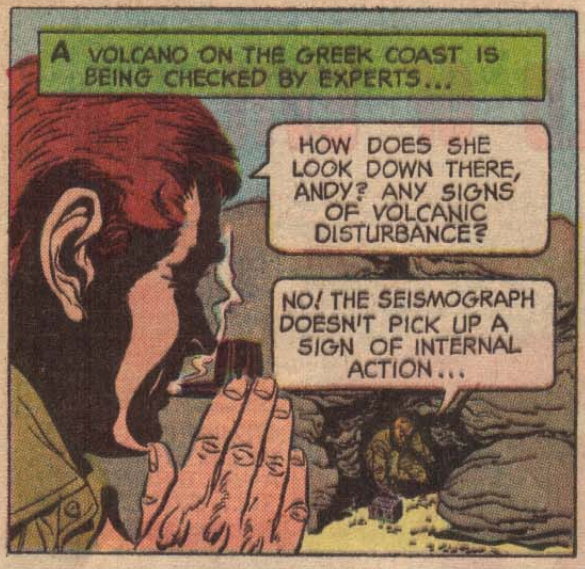

A VOLCANO ON THE GREEK COAST IS BEING CHECKED BY EXPERTS...
HOW DOES SHE LOOK DOWN THERE, ANDY? ANY SIGNS OF VOLCANIC DISTURBANCE?
NO! THE SEISMOGRAPH DOESN'T PICK UP A SIGN OF INTERNAL ACTION...

...GUESS THE BABY'S OKAY— A SLEEPING BEAUTY! HEY... I'VE FOUND SOMETHING!

SHORTLY, AS THE PAIR EXAMINE THEIR FIND...
A SHIELD! ENCRUSTED OVER WITH LAVA— PROBABLY FROM SOME ANCIENT CIVILIZATION!
(WHEW-W!) MAYBE IT'S A PRICELESS RELIC! WE'LL BRING IT BACK ON THE RESEARCH SHIP TO THE LONDON MUSEUM FOR STUDY!

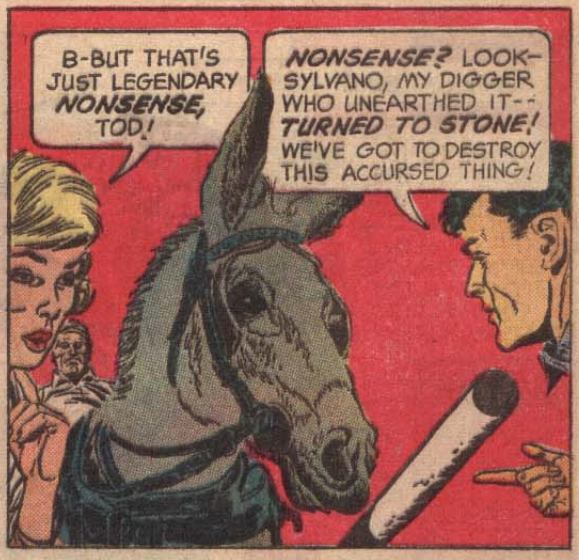
JUST TEN DAYS LATER IN ENGLAND, TOD BARTLETT AND HIS FIANCÉE BONNIE KING GAPE AT THE NEWSPAPER IN AWE...
B-BONNIE... LOOK! IT'S BEEN DISCOVERED!
TH-THE SHIELD! BUT ARE YOU SURE THAT'S THE ONE?

OF COURSE I'M SURE, HONEY! LOOK—THE RIM DESIGN IS IDENTICAL!
AND IT WAS DISCOVERED IN THE SAME VOLCANO! THE HORROR OF MEDUSA'S SHIELD IS STILL ALIVE!
ANCIENT SHIELD RECOVERED IN VOLCANO

SHORTLY, TOD'S MIND GOES BACK OVER THE MONTHS AS HE PONDERS THEIR FRIGHTENING PLIGHT...
THE VOLCANO DIDN'T MELT IT DOWN... IT LANDED ON A CRATER LEDGE ABOVE THE INTENSE HEAT! A-ALL THOSE FRIGHTENING MOMENTS...ABOUT TO BE REPEATED!

"THAT TERRIBLE DAY I FIRST DISCOVERED THE SHIELD IN OUR ARCHAEOLOGICAL DIGGINGS..."
YOU MEAN THIS IS THE SHIELD OF PERSEUS —WITH MEDUSA'S FACE ENGRAVED ON IT? MEDUSA, WHOSE LOOK TURNED MEN TO STONE?
EXACTLY!

"UNTIL PERSEUS REFLECTED HER OWN FACE IN HIS SHIELD AND SHE TURNED TO STONE..."
DIE, MEDUSA...BY YOUR OWN EVIL!
YAAAGHHH!


B-BUT THAT'S JUST LEGENDARY NONSENSE, TOD!
NONSENSE? LOOK-SYLVANO, MY DIGGER WHO UNEARTHED IT-- TURNED TO STONE! WE'VE GOT TO DESTROY THIS ACCURSED THING!

"THEN, WHEN THE POWER OF THE SHIELD DROVE MY PARTNER WILD WITH GREED AND..."
DEMIUS! COME BACK ....THAT SHIELD CAN DESTROY CIVILIZATION!
YOU IDIOT! I'LL MAKE A FORTUNE WITH IT! GET BACK OR I'LL TURN YOU TO STONE!

"WHAT A NIGHTMARE FOLLOWED! DEMIUS TURNED A DOZEN PEOPLE TO STONE BEFORE I FINALLY OVERCAME HIM BLINDFOLDED."
NOTHING CAN STOP ME! I HAVE THE POWER OF MEDUSA'S SHIELD!
MEDUSA CAN'T DESTROY THOSE WHO DON'T LOOK UPON HER, DEMIUS!

"ONLY BY A MIRACLE DID WE RETRIEVE THE SHIELD AND FINALLY ROLL IT INTO THE VOLCANO..."
IT'S OVER! VOLCANIC HEAT WILL MELT THAT MONSTROUS PIECE OF METAL DOWN TO HARMLESS LIQUID!
SOMEHOW OVER THE CENTURIES THE CHEMICAL CONTENT OF THE EARTH THAT SHIELD WAS BURIED IN AFFECTED ITS MOLECULES AND IT RETAINED MEDUSA'S FACE...
...AND NOW WE MUST DESTROY IT FOREVER!
LATER AT SOUTHAMPTON...
THERE HE IS, BONNIE...THE SCIENTIST WHO DISCOVERED THE SHIELD! HE'S BRINGING IT DOWN THE GANGPLANK NOW! HURRY!
MISS!
I LEFT SOMETHING ABOARD! I'LL BE RIGHT BACK!
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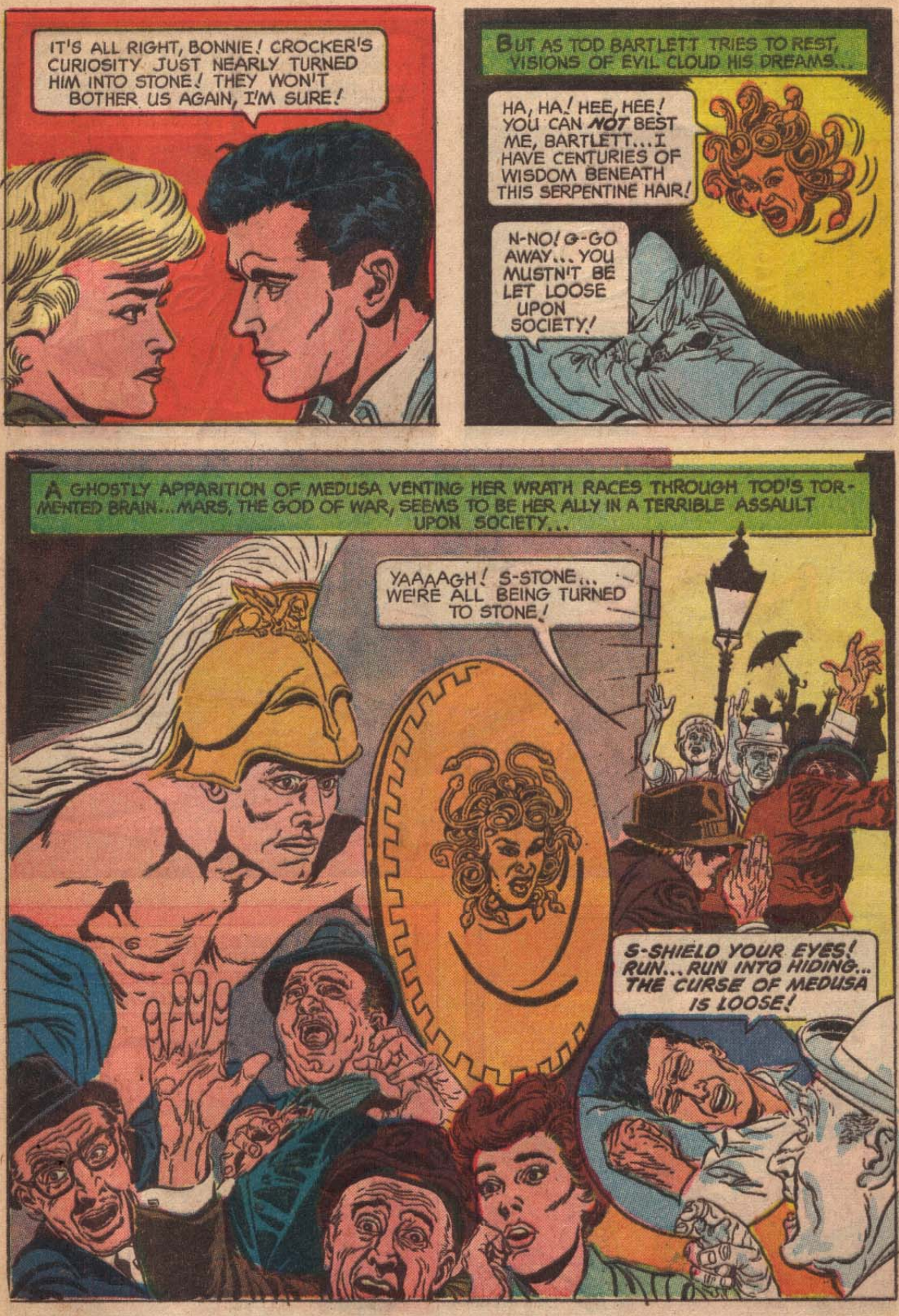
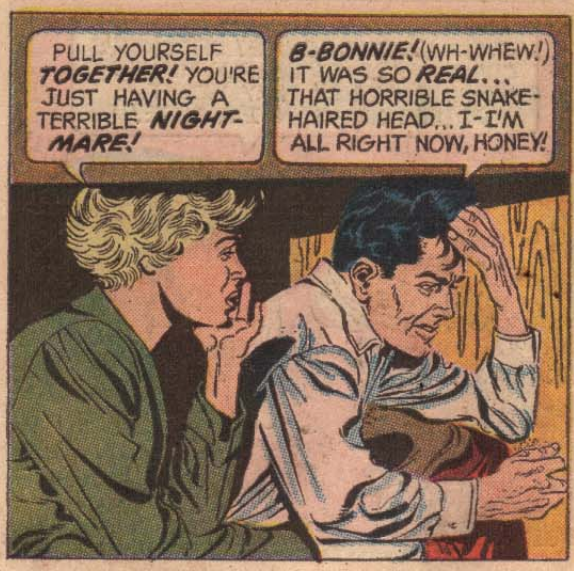
THEN...
OH-H! I'M SORRY, SIR!
H-HUH? THE SHIELD!
CLANK!

I-I'LL TRY TO GET IT BACK FOR YOU, SIR!
OOOMPH!
BUMPITY BUMP! BWANG!
GOOD WORK, HONEY-- LET'S GO!
THERE'S OUR SCHOONER! I TOLD THE DECK HANDS TO BE READY TO CAST OFF FAST...WE CAN CLEAR THE HARBOR BEFORE WE'RE SPOTTED!
CAST OFF... ON THE DOUBLE, MATE!
AYE, AYE, SKIPPER ...YER THE BOSS, YOU ARE!
AND HOURS LATER, FAR OUT TO SEA...
YE KNOW, MATEY, THERE'S SOMETHING MIGHTY SUSPICIOUS 'BOUT A FELLA WHO MOVES SO FAST WITH A STRANGE-LOOKIN' PACKAGE LIKE THAT!
YEAH, CROCKER! MUST BE SOMETHING REAL VALUABLE-LIKE HE'S CARRYING!

UNDER THE SUSPICIOUS EYES OF THE CREW, TOD AND BONNIE MAKE THEIR PLANS FOR THE SHIELD OF PERSEUS...
WE'LL CAST IT IN THE CEMENT I STORED BELOW AND DROP IT RIGHT HERE, BONNIE — THE FAMED OCEANIA DEEP! IT WILL BE SAFE FROM THE GREED OF MAN FOREVER!
THAT NIGHT, A SHADOW MOVES IN TOD'S CABIN...
CROCKER! H-HE'S AFTER THE SHIELD!
BLIMEY! LOOKS LIKE A SHIELD... ALL ENCRUSTED OVER!
YOU'RE HIRED TO PILOT THIS SHIP—NOT MONKEY INTO MY BUSINESS!
OOOOMP!
I'M PAYING YOU TRIPLE WAGES TO RUN A TIGHT SHIP AND KEEP A TIGHT MOUTH!
WHAP!
AND THAT GOES FOR YOU TOO, FINLEY! BELIEVE ME, YOU WOULDN'T WANT TO SEE WHAT I'M CARRYING! NOW KEEP CLEAR OF MY CABIN AND JUST SAIL THIS SHIP DUE SOUTH!
T-TOD!

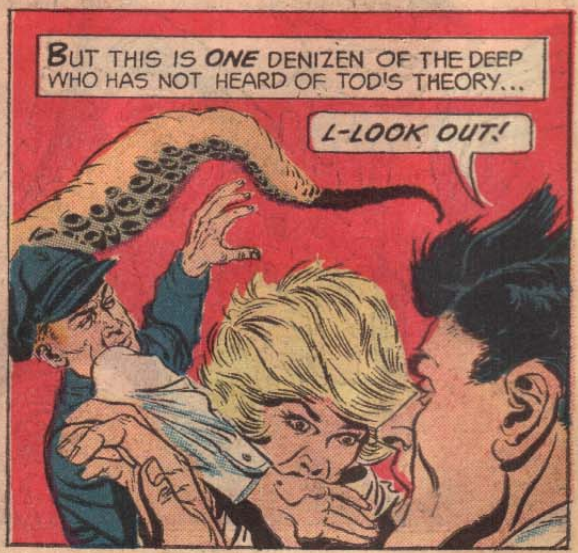

IT'S ALL RIGHT, BONNIE! CROCKER'S CURIOSITY JUST NEARLY TURNED HIM INTO STONE! THEY WON'T BOTHER US AGAIN, I'M SURE!
BUT AS TOD BARTLETT TRIES TO REST, VISIONS OF EVIL CLOUD HIS DREAMS...
HA, HA! HEE, HEE! YOU CAN NOT BEST ME, BARTLETT... I HAVE CENTURIES OF WISDOM BENEATH THIS SERPENTINE HAIR!
N-NO! G-GO AWAY... YOU MUSTN'T BE LET LOOSE UPON SOCIETY!
A GHOSTLY APPARITION OF MEDUSA VENTING HER WRATH RACES THROUGH TOD'S TORMENTED BRAIN... MARS, THE GOD OF WAR, SEEMS TO BE HER ALLY IN A TERRIBLE ASSAULT UPON SOCIETY...
YAAAAGH! S-STONE... WE'RE ALL BEING TURNED TO STONE!
S-SHIELD YOUR EYES! RUN... RUN INTO HIDING... THE CURSE OF MEDUSA IS LOOSE!

TOD!
SHELL THE SHIELD!...BOMB IT!...HURRY...BEFORE ALL CIVILIZATION IS TURNED TO STONE!


PULL YOURSELF TOGETHER! YOU'RE JUST HAVING A TERRIBLE NIGHT-MARE!
B-BONNIE! (WH-WHEW!) IT WAS SO REAL... THAT HORRIBLE SNAKE-HAIRED HEAD... I-I'M ALL RIGHT NOW, HONEY!

BUT AS TOD BARTLETT RETURNS TO HIS SENSES, A DEADLY CREATURE OF THE DEPTHS SURFACES NEARBY...THE GIANT SQUID!...
I-I WON'T LET MYSELF CRACK UP LIKE THAT AGAIN, BONNIE! LET'S GO ON DECK--- GET SOME AIR!

AS IF DRAWN BY THE EVIL OF MEDUSA HERSELF, THE MONSTROUS FISH MOVES TOWARD THE SCHOONER...
BLIMEY! A GIANT SQUID--AN' SOMETHIN'S GOT ITS DANDER UP!
THERE'S NO CAUSE FOR ALARM! THOSE BRUTES RARELY ATTACK UNLESS PROVOKED!


BUT THIS IS ONE DENIZEN OF THE DEEP WHO HAS NOT HEARD OF TOD'S THEORY...
L-LOOK OUT!

THEN...
GREAT THUNDER! TH-THE THING'S SLITHERING ITS TENTACLES INTO MY CABIN! WH-WHAT'S . . . IT UP TO?
WHILE BELOW...
EEEEEK! T-TOD!
GRUU-N-N-CH!
TH-THE CREATURE'S RI-RIPPED YOUR CABIN WALL OPEN! MEDUSA'S SHIELD — I-IT'S FALLING OUT!
MY SHIELD! I'VE GOT TO GO AFTER IT!
WHA..? ARE YOU DAFT, MAN? THAT CREATURE'LL CRUSH YOU LIKE A GRAPE!

THE WATER HERE NEAR THE ISLAND IS TOO SHALLOW...
...IF THAT LAVA-ENCRUSTED COVERING IS WASHED OFF, SKIN DIVERS, TREASURE SEEKERS COULD BECOME VICTIM TO MEDUSA'S FACE!
M-MADE IT!
AND AS TOD SURFACES...
THANKS! LET'S GET BELOW AND REPAIR MY CABIN, BONNIE-- LOOKS LIKE A STORM'S BLOWING UP!
HMM! THAT SHIELD MUST BE A MIGHTY RARE TREASURE... MIGHTY RARE, INDEED!
SHORTLY...
TOD, WHY DON'T YOU LET THE CREW HELP YOU?
NO! AFTER WHAT THEY SAW ME DO, THEIR GREEDY LITTLE BRAINS WILL BE HUMMING! I DON'T WANT THEM NEAR THAT SHIELD!
THAT NIGHT...
NOW'S THE TIME, MATEY! IF THE LIKES OF US CAN'T BEST A WISP OF A GIRL AND A LANDLUBBER WE DON'T DESERVE A FORTUNE!

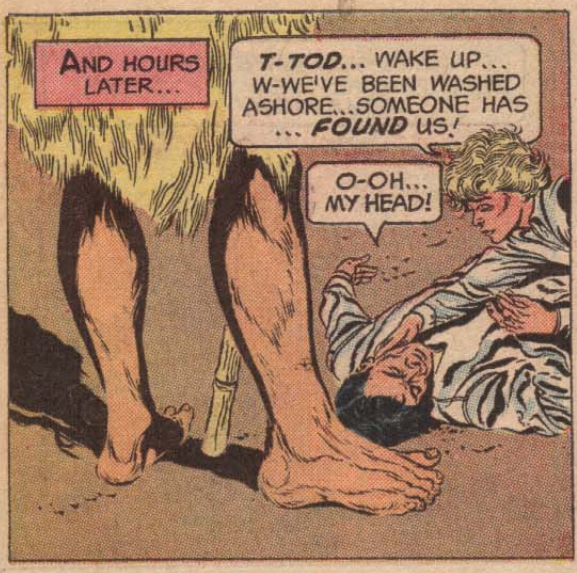
SUDDENLY, AS THE PAIR CRASHES IN..
YIKES! A-AN ALARM BELL! BLIMEY! THE TRICKY VARMINT'S SET A TRAP FER US!
CLANG! CLANG!

I WARNED YOU BEFORE—NOW YOU TWO CUTTHROATS ARE GOING TO GET A LESSON!
WAP! WAP!

ON DECK, THE STORM STRIKES IN FULL FURY AS...
HURRY! THE BLIGHTER'S SLIPPED...CUT THROUGH THE NETTING WHILE HE'S AWASH ON DECK!

BUT THEN, AS THE PAIR RACES FOR THE KILL...
YUUUU!
GR-GREAT GHOSTS! THE STORM SAVED ME! I-I'VE GOT TO TIE BONNIE AND MYSELF T-TO THE MAST... BEFORE WE GET THE SAME FATE!

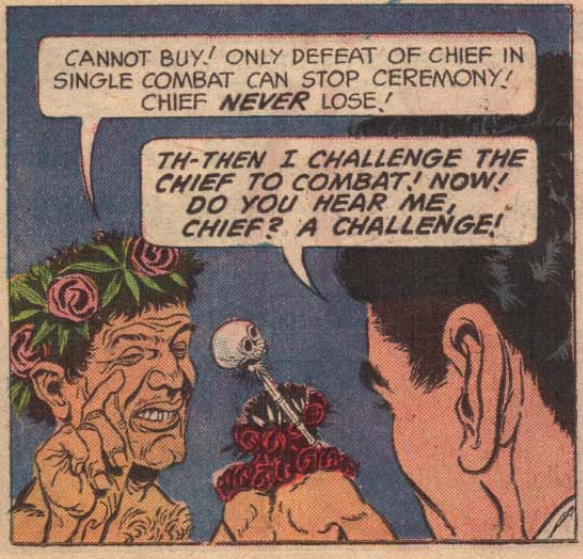
AFTERWARD, THE BATTERED VESSEL IS DRIVEN WILDLY BEFORE THE STORM...
H-HANG ON, BONNIE... TH-THE STORM CAN'T LAST FOREVER!


AND HOURS LATER...
T-TOD... WAKE UP... W-WE'VE BEEN WASHED ASHORE...SOMEONE HAS ... FOUND US!
O-OH... MY HEAD!

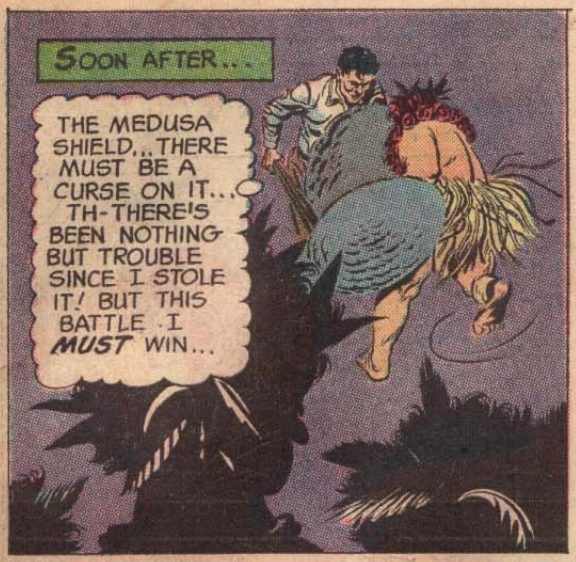
THEN, AS THE FIRST SHOCKING RAYS OF CONSCIOUSNESS STRIKES TOD BARTLETT...
OH, ER, THANKS FOR COMING TO OUR RESCUE! WE...WERE CAUGHT IN A STORM AND...
BRING WOMAN AND MAN-FOOL TO CEREMONIAL GROUNDS!

SHORTLY...
MAN-FOOL HAS FOOL'S SHIELD... ALL LUMPS... NOT GOOD FOR FIGHTING!
THE GIRL... WHAT ARE THEY DOING TO HER THERE ON THE ALTAR?

WOMAN BE SACRIFICED! WILL BRING MUCH GOOD FORTUNE TO UBANISE TRIBE!
YO-YOU'RE MAD! THESE THINGS CAN'T HAPPEN IN THIS DAY AND AGE! I'LL BUY HER BACK! PAY YOUR CHIEF ANYTHING!


CANNOT BUY! ONLY DEFEAT OF CHIEF IN SINGLE COMBAT CAN STOP CEREMONY! CHIEF NEVER LOSE!
TH-THEN I CHALLENGE THE CHIEF TO COMBAT! NOW! DO YOU HEAR ME, CHIEF? A CHALLENGE!

BIG MOUTH MAN-FOOL MUCH FOOL! HE WOULD BE SET FREE AFTER SACRIFICE! NOW HE DIE IN COMBAT! TAKE DIRTY SHIELD! GIVE HIM CLUB! DEATH BATTLE BEGIN!


SOON AFTER...
THE MEDUSA SHIELD... THERE MUST BE A CURSE ON IT... TH-THERE'S BEEN NOTHING BUT TROUBLE SINCE I STOLE IT! BUT THIS BATTLE I MUST WIN...

...I MUST!
CLANG!

MAN-FOOL FEEBLE WITH BLOW... LIKE CHILD!
I'LL "FEEBLE" YOUR BRAIN IF I CAN HIT IT, YOU BUTCHER!
WUMP!

BUT THE SKILLED MIGHT OF THE NATIVE CHIEFTAIN QUICKLY BEGINS TO TELL...
ENOUGH PLAY ...TIME TO END GAME!
BANG!

AGAIN AND AGAIN, THE FEARSOME BLOWS FALL UPON MEDUSA'S SHIELD... UNTIL...
WOMP!
KLONK! KLONK! KLONK!
WHA?... TH-THE ENCRUSTED LAVA... THE BLOWS HAVE KNOCKED IT LOOSE!

AND SUDDENLY THE NATIVE ON-LOOKERS GAPE IN FEAR AS...
CH-CHIEF... HE HAS TURNED WHITE... LIKE SACRED STATUE!

STONE! GREAT MAGIC TURNED CHIEF TO STONE! FLEE! RELEASE WOMAN!
M-MEDUSA! S-SHE'S SAVED US!

WITHIN MINUTES THE PAIR HAVE RACED TO THE BEACH...
B-BUT, TOD... THE BOAT'S WRECKED! WE CAN'T SAIL HER!
WE'LL REPAIR HER, BONNIE! THOSE CUT-THROATS WON'T BE BACK! WE'LL LIVE IN THE SHIP AND WORK TILL SHE'S AFLOAT AGAIN!

AND JUST A WEEK LATER, OVER THE OCEANIA TRENCH...
THIS IS THE SPOT, HONEY! THANK HEAVEN IT'S ALL OVER AT LAST! WE'LL PUSH THIS ACCURSED THING INTO A SEVEN-MILE DEEP WHERE IT WILL NEVER BE FOUND AGAIN!
PLEASE HURRY... BEFORE SOMETHING ELSE HAPPENS!

ONCE, IN THE TWILIGHT ZONE OF LEGEND, THE SHIELD OF PERSEUS RID THE WORLD OF A TERRIBLE EVIL! NOW IT CARRIES THAT EVIL ON ITS FACE—TO THE DEEPEST SPOT ON EARTH! TOD BARTLETT AND BONNIE KING HOPE THAT THIS EVIL WILL NEVER AGAIN EMERGE FROM THE DEPTHS OF THE TWILIGHT ZONE!

MONSTER MUSEUM

Our Monster Museum is a pretty busy place these days, what with *one monster after another* claiming recognition and trying to outscare each other. We hope you enjoy this collection.

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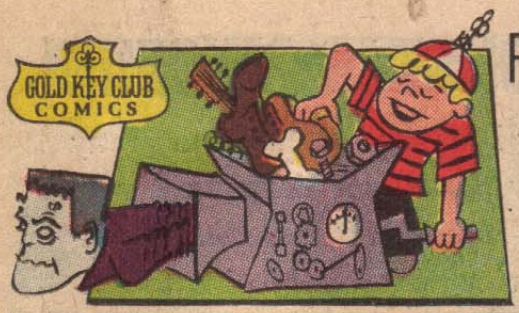

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HOUSE WATCH PLANT

Eats burglars who come to steal.
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THE EYE, FOOT, EAR MONSTER

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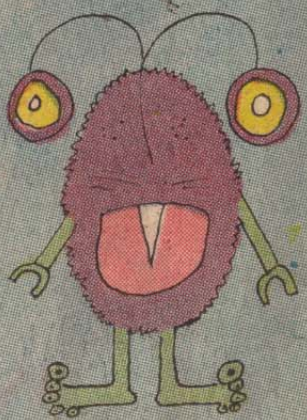
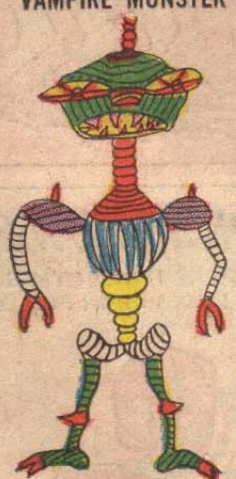
FUZZY ONE TOOTH



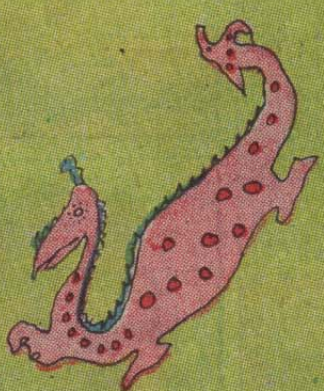
His eyes hypnotize, his hands grab you while he eats you with one gulp.
Steven Minsky
Gardena, California

VAMPIRE MONSTER



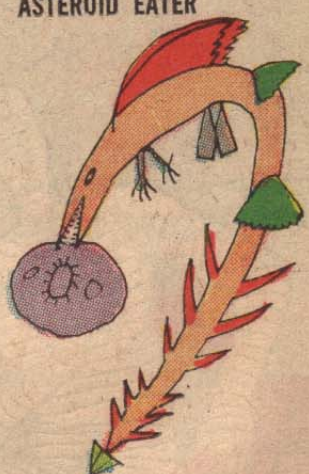
Can change to any color and shape.
Kimmy Morera
Los Angeles, California

THE FANG BEAST



Has poison fangs and claws which can kill any living beast.
Jamie Mathis
Clovis, New Mexico

ASTEROID EATER



Needs no air.
Steven Vasquez
Rancho Cordova, California

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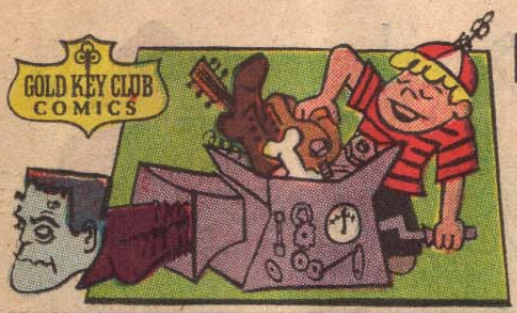

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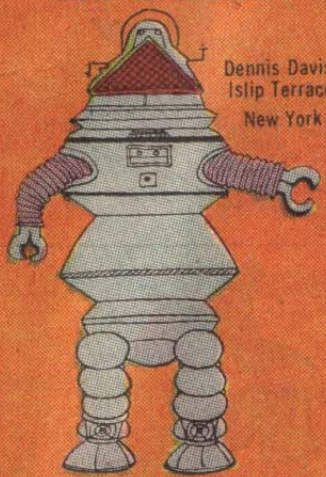
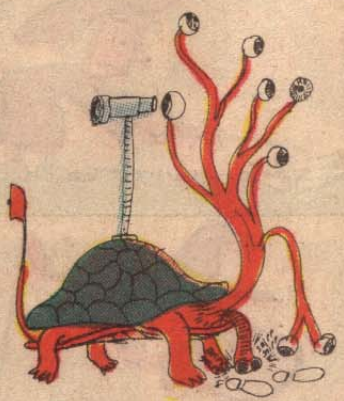
INDISTRUCTA ROBOT



Dennis Davis
Islip Terrace,
New York

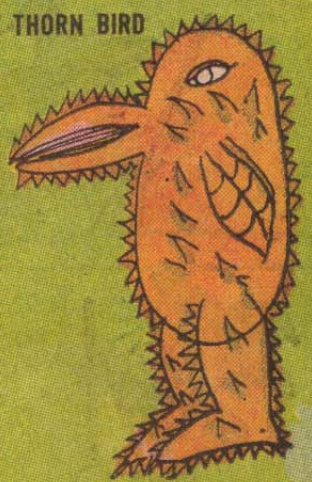
Worked by computer. Has radar, expandable arms and claws charged with 400,000 volts of electricity.

TURTLE BACK BLOODHOUND



Sniffs trail of people.
Marshall Rosamond
Louisville, Mississippi

THE THORN BIRD



Kills with its thorns. Can't be chewed or swallowed.
Cathy Rawlings
Edmonton, Alberta, Canada

PO-GO CHAMP MONSTER

Kenny Quercetti
North Burnaby, British Columbia, Canada

Jumps over mountains to get its victims.

THE ROBOT MONSTER

The mad monster from Mars. It stamps on buildings and people.
Carl Rode
St. Louis, Missouri

THE BIG ALVIN

Shoots at all things and kills people.
Tommy Greenroyd
Gardena, California

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MINI-COMICS

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The Invisible Ones
LATE ONE NIGHT IN 1938, IN A TINY MINING SETTLEMENT ALONG ALASKA'S KUSKOKWIM RIVER, ELDERLY BEN KRAMER IS STARTLED BY A SUDDEN WINTRY BLAST...
HEY! SHUT THAT DOOR!
SWOOSH!
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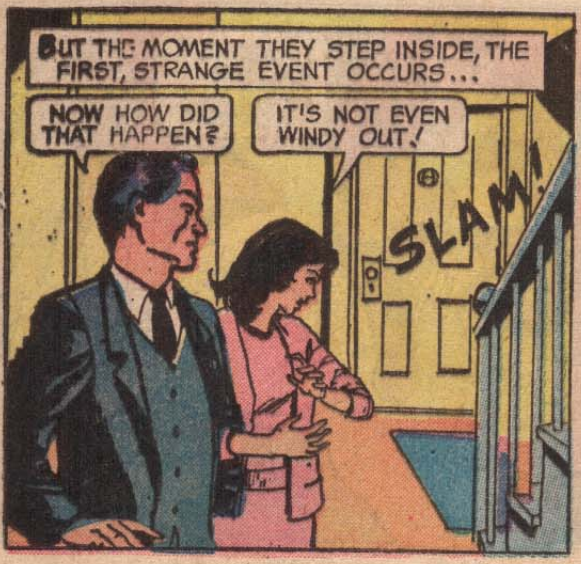
BUT AS BEN SHOULDERS THE DOOR CLOSED, THE LIGHT FROM THE KEROSENE LAMP DIMS STRANGELY AND...
G-GOOD LORD! WH-WHAT IS IT--?
A SPLIT SECOND LATER...
YAHHHHH
IT'S COMING FROM OLD BEN'S CABIN!
C'MON! IT SOUNDS LIKE MURDER FOR SURE!
YAHHHHHHH
AND WHEN THE TRIO DASHES UP...
WHAT HAPPENED, BEN?
I-IT (GASP!) LET GO WHEN HE HEARD YOUR SHOUTS! BOLTED OUT THE DOOR, I RECKON! ONLY, I DIDN'T RIGHTLY SEE IT EITHER!

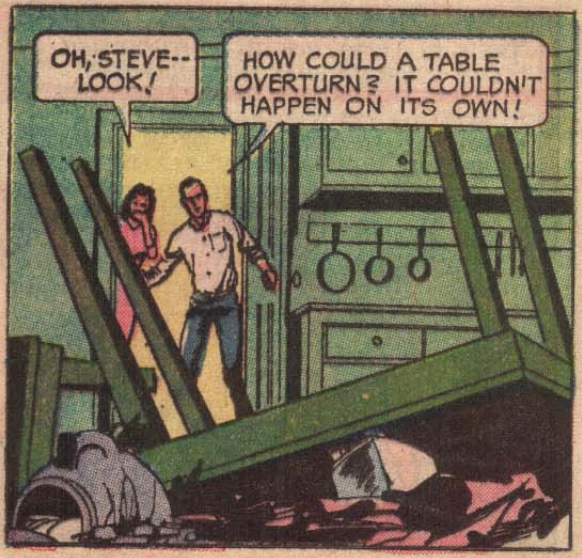
HASTENING OUTSIDE, THE TRIO SOON FIND WHAT THEY'RE LOOKING FOR...
FOOTPRINTS! BUT LOOK AT THE SIZE OF 'EM!
SO WHAT? LET'S TRACK THE CRITTER DOWN BEFORE HE GETS AWAY! COME ON!
PICKING UP THE TRAIL, THE TRIO SPURTS FORWARD. THEN, SPLIT SECONDS LATER...
I--I CAN HEAR IT RUNNING JUST AHEAD! B-BUT NOTHIN'S THERE!
I-IT'S GOT TO BE SOMETHIN'! START SHOOTING!
THUD!
THUD!
BANG!
BANG!
BANG!
BANG!
BANG!
I DON'T HEAR THE RUNNING FOOTSTEPS ANYMORE!
WE NAILED IT GOOD ALL RIGHT! LET'S SEE WHAT IT IS!
BUT WHEN THEY ARRIVE AT WHERE THE FOOTPRINTS COME TO A SUDDEN, ABRUPT END...
N-NOTHING HERE! BUT SOMETHING GRABBED BEN! SOMETHING HAD TO MAKE THESE PRINTS! IF WE KILLED IT, WHERE IS IT?
BEN DIDN'T SEE IT EITHER, BUT IT HAD TO BE SOMETHING! SOMETHING INVISIBLE, I RECKON! SOMETHING THAT CAN'T REALLY BE EXPLAINED!

STILL ANOTHER INVISIBLE PHENOMENON IS THE CASE OF YOUNG MARIA SANDOZ. THE PLACE IS A SUBURB OF MEXICO CITY. THE YEAR IS 1951, AND THE GIRL IS OUT SHOPPING WHEN SUDDENLY...
OH-OO! H-HELP!!
THAT GIRL! SHE'S IN SOME KIND OF TROUBLE!
THROWN TO THE GROUND BY AN INVISIBLE FORCE, THE CHILD'S CRIES REND THE AIR...
AIIIIIIII!
AND WHEN HELP DASHES UP...
S--SHE'S BLEEDING FROM SEVERAL WOUNDS! B-BUT HOW? WE SAW N--NOTHING!
SOMEONE CALL AN AMBULANCE! HURRY!
LATER, AT THE HOSPITAL...
THEY APPEAR TO BE TEETH MARKS, ON HER NECK AND ARMS!
BUT 20 WITNESSES SAY THEY SAW NOTHING! ABSOLUTELY NOTHING!
THE GIRL LIVES, BUT THE AUTHORITIES CAN COME UP WITH NO ANSWERS...
THAT'S ALL OF IT, GENTLEMEN! THE CHILD WAS NOT ONLY ATTACKED BY AN UNKNOWN ASSAILANT, BUT AN INVISIBLE ONE AS WELL!

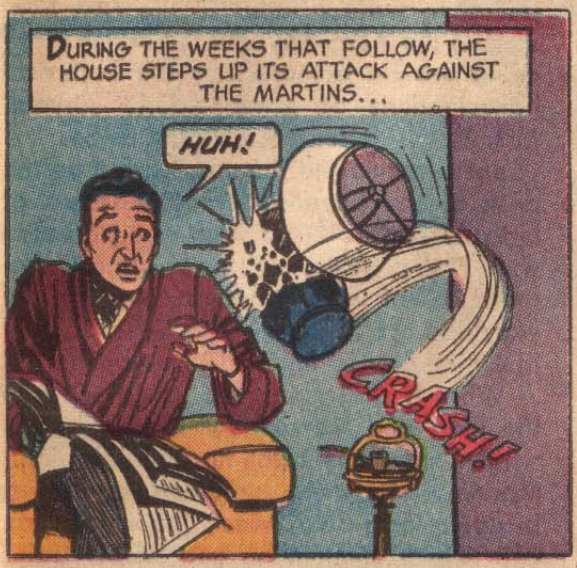
SOMETIMES INVISIBLE FORCES INVADE REALITY IN OTHER WAYS. IN THE SPRING OF 1958, THE MARTINS BUY A LOVELY OLD HOUSE OUTSIDE NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT...
WELL, HONEY, OUR OWN PLACE AT LAST!
IT'S LOVELY, STEVE! AND SUCH A GOOD BUY TOO!


BUT THE MOMENT THEY STEP INSIDE, THE FIRST, STRANGE EVENT OCCURS...
NOW HOW DID THAT HAPPEN?
IT'S NOT EVEN WINDY OUT!
SLAM!

OTHER STRANGE EVENTS HAPPEN, BUT ONE NIGHT, ABOUT A MONTH AFTER THEY HAD MOVED IN...
GOOD HEAVENS! WHAT'S THAT?
IT CAME FROM THE KITCHEN!
CRASH!


OH, STEVE-- LOOK!
HOW COULD A TABLE OVERTURN? IT COULDN'T HAPPEN ON ITS OWN!

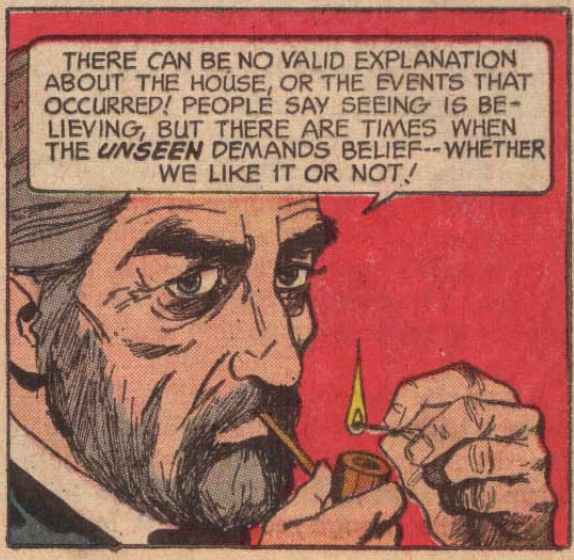
UPSET, THE COUPLE VISITS THE REALTOR FROM WHOM THEY BOUGHT THE HOUSE...
I DIDN'T WANT TO UPSET YOU WITH A LOT OF SILLY SUPERSTITIONS, BUT SOME FOLKS SAY THE OLD HOUSE IS HAUNTED BY ITS PREVIOUS, ELDERLY OWNER! IT'S RUBBISH, OF COURSE!
BUT VERY STRANGE THINGS HAVE BEEN HAPPENING!


DURING THE WEEKS THAT FOLLOW, THE HOUSE STEPS UP ITS ATTACK AGAINST THE MARTINS...
HUH!
CRASH!

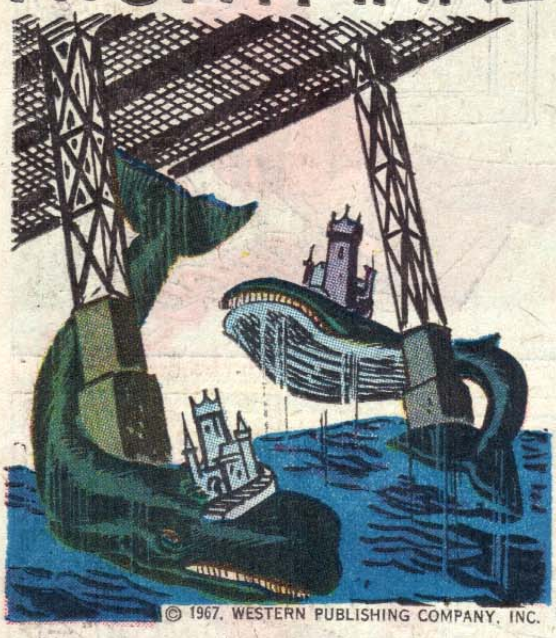
AND ON ANOTHER OCCASION, WITHOUT WARNING...
OH-HH!
SWOOSH

EXPERTS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ARE CALLED IN, INCLUDING A MEDIUM, BUT THE INVISIBLE FORCE STAYS ON. THEN ONE FALL NIGHT, THE WORST TAKES PLACE...
EVERYTHING'S VIBRATING-- EVEN THE WALLS!
LET'S GET OUT OF HERE, STEVE! I WON'T SPEND ANOTHER NIGHT...

PANIC-STRICKEN, THE COUPLE FLEES...
CRASH!


THERE CAN BE NO VALID EXPLANATION ABOUT THE HOUSE, OR THE EVENTS THAT OCCURRED! PEOPLE SAY SEEING IS BELIEVING, BUT THERE ARE TIMES WHEN THE UNSEEN DEMANDS BELIEF--WHETHER WE LIKE IT OR NOT!

THE NIGHTMARE



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History records many stories of prophetic dreams, visions which predict disasters and catastrophes to come. But no dream was more weirdly foreboding than that which woke Sarah Morris from her sleep one night in 1914.

It was in the first few weeks of World War I. Sarah, an elderly nursemaid in the service of a British noble family, sat up wild-eyed in her bed. In her nightmare she had seen a great iron bridge stretching across an arm of the sea. The old woman had recognized it as the steel span over the Firth of Forth, a vital link in the railroad that connected England and Scotland.

But the strangest part of the nursemaid's dream was the appearance of two huge whales with odd castle-like structures on their backs. Wallowing in the water, these sea-giants had circled menacingly around one of the piers supporting the mighty bridge.

Upset by the fantastic vision, the old woman became even more disturbed when the dream repeated itself several nights running.

For some strange reason Sarah felt impelled to write a letter to the First Sea-Lord at the Admiralty. But the British Navy could not be bothered by the hysterical hallucinations of some elderly servant. Mrs. Morris' letter was shunted aside.

But miraculously the note ended on the desk of the Commander of Defenses of Firth of Forth. This officer was occupied with the problem of the German submarine fleet which had just sunk several warships off Scotland with great loss of life. Mrs. Morris' letter disturbed him.

What if a German sub could slip into the Firth and menace the bridge as the whales had done in the nursemaid's nightmare? A torpedo exploding against a bridge pier would wreck the steel span over which ammunition and supply trains were rolling night and day. The bridge's destruction would cut off supplies to naval bases, a catastrophe that could bring military defeat within weeks.

Alerted by Mrs. Morris' letter, the Defense Commander ordered the piers of the bridge to be encased in concrete in order to foil a possible torpedo attack.

Construction crews worked around the clock reinforcing the bridge supports with quick-drying cement. But there were no signs of a U-boat assault. Had the British Commander allowed himself to be frightened by an old lady's nightmare?

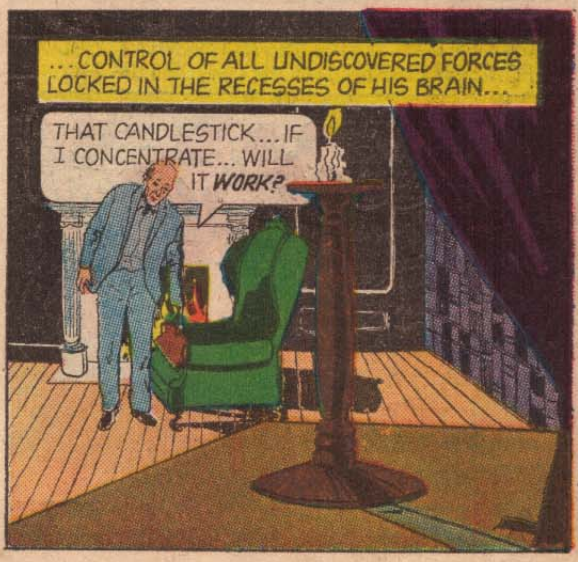
Then, in the first week of October, a British destroyer steaming down the Firth toward the sea spotted two German subs surfacing near the bridge. Moments later three torpedoes were streaking toward the supports of the mighty span—only to explode harmlessly against the shield of protective concrete.

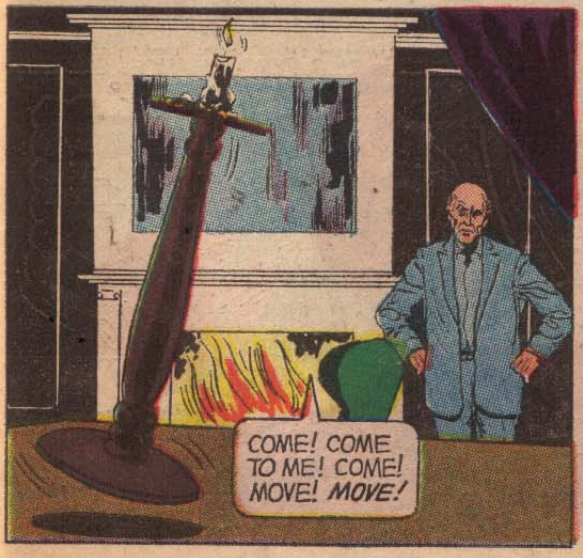
In a slashing attack the British destroyer sank one U-boat and drove off the other. The strategic bridge over the Firth was saved, thus possibly preventing Britain's defeat, thanks to an old lady's premonition.

In the half century since World War I our scientists have made astounding advances in solving the most puzzling secrets of the universe. But no one has yet uncovered the mysterious source of such uncanny dreams of prophecy as that of Sarah Morris.

THE TWILIGHT ZONE
MIND OVER MATTER
PACKAGE FOR YOU, MR. JUSTIN!
THANK YOU!
AT LAST IT'S COME!
THE HUMAN MIND IS STRANGE AND MYSTERIOUS...THE POWERS HIDDEN THERE ARE STILL UNEXPLAINED...NOW, MR. ALEX JUSTIN IS ABOUT TO DISCOVER A SECRET OF THE MIND NEVER BEFORE KNOWN TO MAN!...

"THE POWER OF CONCENTRATION KNOWS NO BOUNDS. ONCE ATTAINED A MAN CAN HAVE ABSOLUTE POWER! HE CAN EVEN MAKE OBJECTS MOVE FROM ONE PLACE TO ANOTHER!"
FOR YEARS, JUSTIN HAS BEEN STUDYING WITCHCRAFT AND SORCERY, TRAINING HIS MIND TOWARD ONE GOAL...

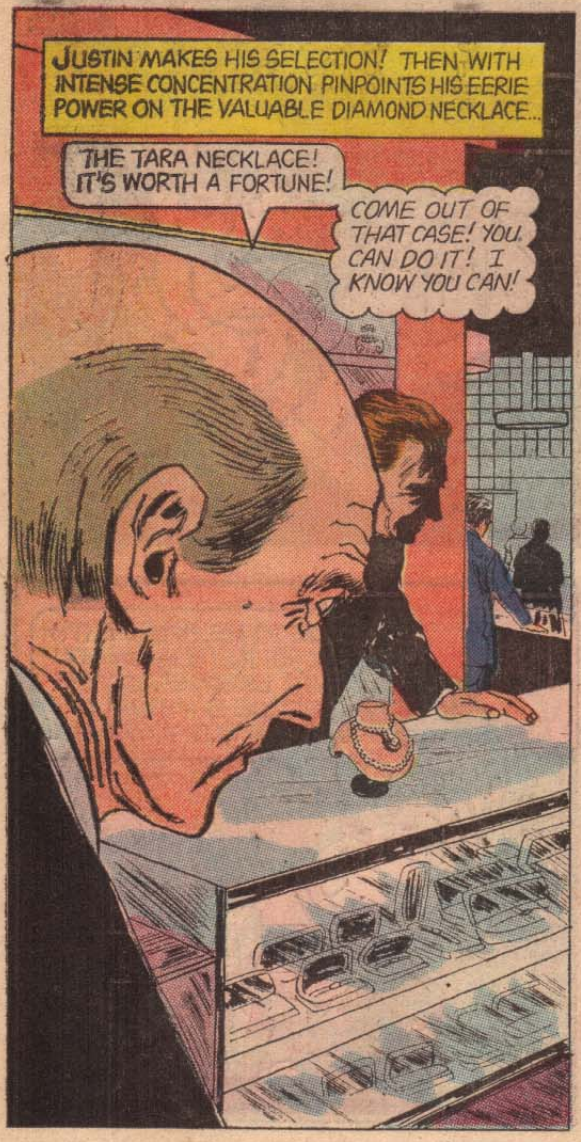

...CONTROL OF ALL UNDISCOVERED FORCES LOCKED IN THE RECESSES OF HIS BRAIN...
THAT CANDLESTICK...IF I CONCENTRATE...WILL IT WORK?


COME! COME TO ME! COME! MOVE! MOVE!

THAT'S THE WAY! JUST A LITTLE FARTHER NOW, YOU CAN MAKE IT!

I KNEW YOU COULD DO IT! GOOD WORK! NOW GO ON BACK!
I DID IT!...I DID IT!
BUT THAT'S ONLY ONCE! CAN I DO IT WITH OTHER OBJECTS? CAN I CONCENTRATE HARD ENOUGH WHEN THERE ARE OTHER PEOPLE AROUND?
DAY BY DAY, JUSTIN TESTS HIS NEWFOUND POWERS! ONE DAY, AT AN OFFICE LUNCH...
THAT ED PATRICK IS SUCH A BIG PHONY! I'D LIKE TO--SAY, WHY DON'T I?
THAT'S THE WAY! JUST LIFT UP AND TILT OVER!
WHA--?
PATRICK, YOU OAF!
EXCUSE ME! I...I DON'T KNOW HOW I COULD HAVE DONE THAT!
THAT'S WHAT I CALL A SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE! GET IT--SOUP-PERIOR?
NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE IF YOU'RE CLUMSY ENOUGH!

THE NEXT DAY AT THE OFFICE...
LOOK AT ED PATRICK, TRYING TO SEEM BUSY WHEN THE BOSS IS NEARBY! I'LL WISE UP OLD MAN DENTON!
MR. DENTON!
UHH!
WHO THREW THIS? PATRICK!
NO, MR. DENTON! I--I...
DON'T LIE TO ME, PATRICK! IT'S YOUR INK BOTTLE! I KNOW YOU NEVER LIKED ME AND THE FEELING IS MUTUAL!... CLEAN OUT YOUR DESK!
LATER THAT DAY...
THERE MUST BE A MILLION DOLLARS' WORTH OF JEWELRY IN THERE! I WONDER IF I COULD POSSIBLY--
CARLTON'S JEWELE


JUSTIN MAKES HIS SELECTION! THEN WITH INTENSE CONCENTRATION PINPOINTS HIS EERIE POWER ON THE VALUABLE DIAMOND NECKLACE...
THE TARA NECKLACE! IT'S WORTH A FORTUNE!
COME OUT OF THAT CASE! YOU CAN DO IT! I KNOW YOU CAN!

MR. CARLTON! LO-LOOK!
GOOD GOING! NOW HEAD STRAIGHT FOR THE DOOR!

STOP IT! STOP IT!
IT--IT'S UNBELIEVABLE!

IT'S GONE!
CALL THE POLICE! SOUND THE ALARM!

THEN, IN A NEAR-BY ALLEY...
BEAUTIFUL! BEAUTIFUL! I KNEW I COULD COUNT ON YOU!

YOU GORGEOUS CREATURES! YOU'VE MADE ME A HAPPY MAN--A RICH MAN!
DAILY STAR
DIAMOND THEFTS CONTINUE! POLICE BAFFLED!
THAT IS, I'LL BE RICH AS SOON AS I CAN TURN YOU INTO CASH! NOW, WHERE'S THE PHONE NUMBER OF THAT FENCE?
WHAT ARE YOU DOING? I GAVE YOU NO ORDER TO MOVE!
HEY!... STOP THAT!!
IT'S ALMOST AS IF IT WENT FOR THE PHONE DELIBERATELY--TO KEEP ME FROM CALLING!
THEY'VE TURNED ON ME! THAT MUST BE IT! THEY WON'T LET ME GET RID OF THEM!
LISTEN TO ME! I DIDN'T MEAN IT! I--I WON'T SEND YOU AWAY!

I'M YOUR FRIEND--YOU CAN TRUST ME! YOU KNOW THAT! I WOULDN'T HARM YOU!
AGHH!
AHHEEE!
WHAT'S GOING ON IN HERE? I HEARD SCREAMS!
HE'S COMPLETELY OFF HIS ROCKER, CHIEF! HE WAS TRYING TO STRANGLE HIMSELF WITH A NECKLACE! HE'LL PROBABLY NEVER TELL US HOW HE WORKED THOSE THEFTS!
I WON'T SELL YOU! I PROMISE!
DO INANIMATE OBJECTS HAVE SOULS? IS THAT HOW ALEX JUSTIN CONTROLLED THEM, BY APPEALING TO THEIR INNER SELVES? POOR JUSTIN, HE NEVER REALIZED THAT THEY HAD GREAT EMOTIONAL NEEDS, THAT WHEN HE REJECTED THEM, THEY WOULD FIND A WAY TO FIGHT BACK-- OUT OF THE TWILIGHT ZONE!

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THE JOKE'S ON YOU

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Riddle: "Railroad Crossing—look out for cars" —Can you spell that without any R's?
Answer: T-h-a-t.

Peggy Fry—Groveton, Texas

Riddle: What did the rooster say when he saw a scrambled egg?
Answer: There's a mix-up son.

Sergei Glushkoff—Tokyo, Japan

Riddle: Why did the nurse tiptoe across the floor to the medicine cabinet?
Answer: She didn't want to wake up the sleeping pills.

Susan Johnson—Castleford, Idaho

Applicant: Have you an opening for me?
Personnel Manager: Yes, and don't slam it on the way out!

Robin Eberle—Holgate, Ohio

Man: Do you serve crabs here?
Waiter: We serve anyone. Sit down.

Randal Morton—Corinth, Mississippi

Ann: What State has two O's on either side and is high in the middle?
Kathy: What?
Ann: Ohio.

Heidi Pert—Athens, Georgia

New Yorker (looking at Niagara Falls): I bet you don't have anything like that in Texas!
Texan: We don't, but we have a plumber in town who could fix that leak in ten minutes!

Brenda Lynn—Grants, New Mexico

Riddle: What is it that everyone in the world is doing right now?
Answer: Growing older.

Rusty Wyatt—Whiteman AFB, Missouri

Riddle: What did one apple say to the other apple?
Answer: You worm!

Timothy Nolan—Elizabeth City, North Carolina

Roy: How much money did they have on Noah's Ark?
Scott: The duck had a bill, the frog had a greenback and the skunk had a cent.

Kathleen Kerrick—Towanda, Pennsylvania

Riddle: What did the wall repairman say to the wall?
Answer: One more crack and I'll plaster you.

Nancy Poese—O'Neill, Nebraska

Riddle: What is bought by the yard but is worn by the foot?
Answer: Carpets.

Clarice Covington—Durham, North Carolina

Riddle: What did the big firecracker say to the little firecracker?
Answer: My pop's bigger than yours.

Margaret Mack—Savannah, Georgia

George: Why is Batman always after the Penguin?
Larry: Because he belongs in a zoo.

Edward C. Paxton—Chicago, Illinois

Riddle: What kind of dog has no tail?
Answer: A hot dog.

Kenneth A. Gregory—La Mirada, California

Steve: Why couldn't the animals in Noah's Ark play cards?
Don: Because Noah was sitting on the deck.

Carl DeGrazio—Shiller Park, Illinois

Riddle: Who dares to sit before the Queen of England with his hat on?
Answer: Her chauffeur.

Judith Fisher—St. Louis, Missouri

Laura: Could you jump higher than the Empire State Building?
Edith: I can because the Empire State Building can't jump.

Rosa Anna Puente—Chicago, Illinois

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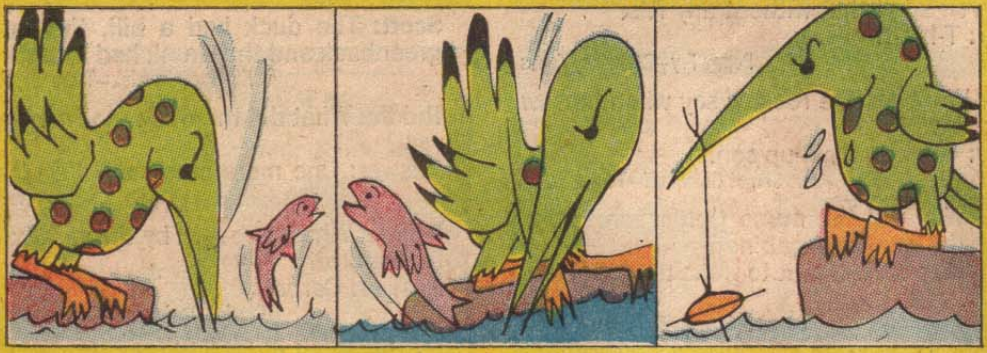

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THE FACES

In the 1930's, Mrs. Bullock of London demonstrated the weird talent of being able to change her facial features at will.

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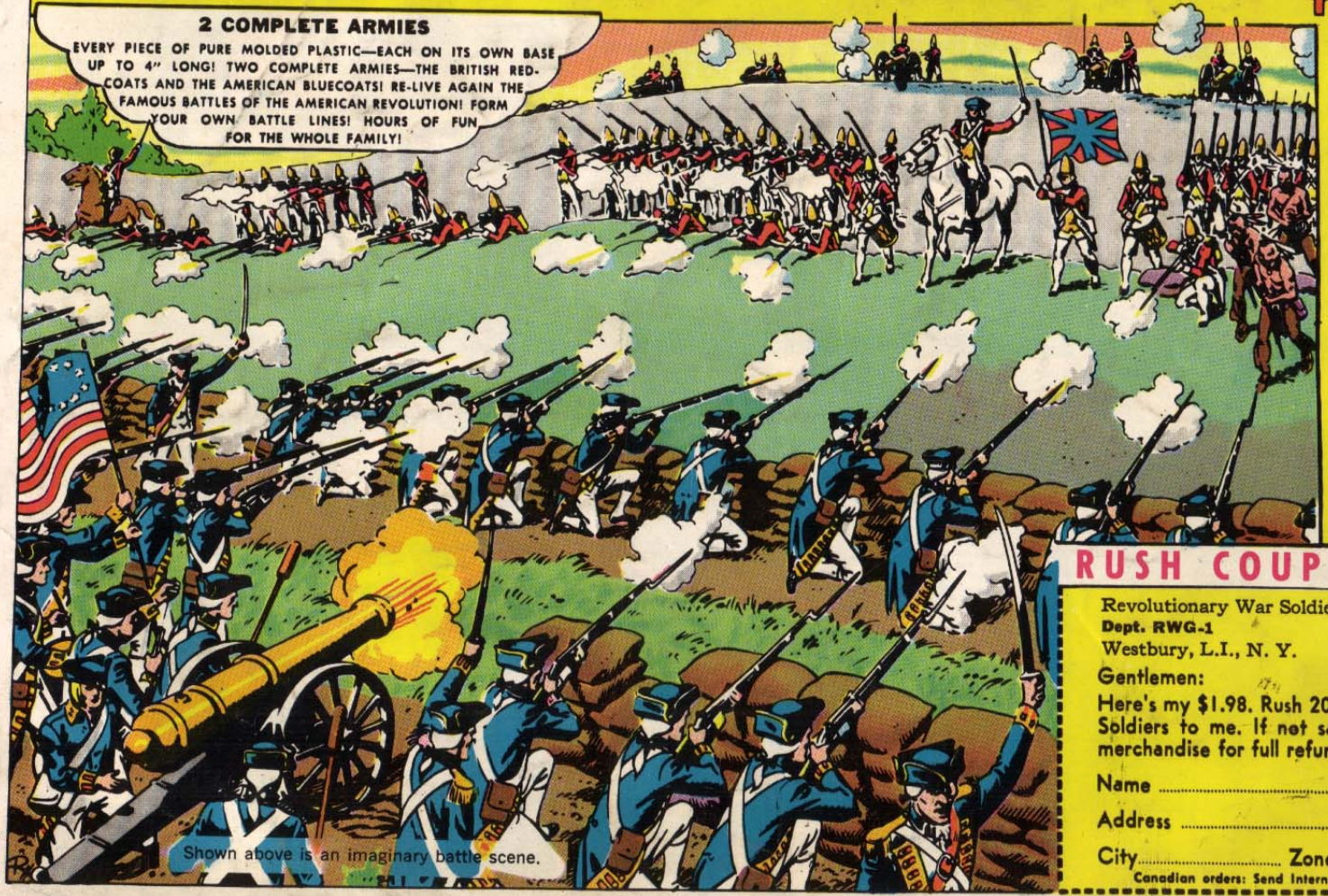

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